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## XIV. ENCOURAGEMENT OF UNIVERSAL ACCEPTANCE OF HUMAN RIGHTS INSTRUMENTS

1. The Sub-Commission considered item 13 at its 25th, 26th and 36th meetings, held on 18, 19 and 26 August 1994.

2. In connection with its consideration of the item, the Sub-Commission had before it a note by the Secretary-General (E/CN.4/Sub.2/1994/27).

3. At the 3rd meeting, on 3 August 1994, the Chairman, in accordance with Sub-Commission resolution 1992/1, appointed Mr. Boutkevitch to report to the Sub-Commission on the information received under that resolution.

4. At the 25th meeting, on 18 August 1994, Mr. Boutkevitch presented an analysis of the information received.

5. The Sub-Commission heard statements 1/ by the following non-governmental organizations: International Human Rights Association of American Minorities (26th), International Indian Treaty Council (26th) and Liberation (26th).

6. A statement was made by the observer for the Republic of Korea (26th).

7. A statement equivalent to a right of reply was made by the observer for Iraq (26th).

Encouragement of universal acceptance of human rights instruments

8. At the 36th meeting, on 26 August 1994, the Sub-Commission considered draft resolution E/CN.4/Sub.2/1994/L.48, sponsored by Mr. Bengoa, Mr. Bossuyt, Mr. Boutkevitch, Ms. Chavez, Mrs. Daes, Mr. Decaux, Mr. El-Hajjé, Mr. Fan, Mr. Fix Zamudio, Mrs. Forero Ucros, Mr. Guissé, Mrs. Gwanmesia, Mr. Hatano, Mr. Hakim, Mr. Khalil, Mr. Khan, Mr. Lindgren Alves, Mr. Maxim, Ms. Palley, Ms. Warzazi and Mr. Yimer. Mr. Decaux subsequently withdrew as sponsor.

9. A statement in connection with the draft resolution was made by Mr. Decaux.

10. The draft resolution was adopted without a vote.

11. For the text as adopted see chapter II, section A, resolution 1994/31.

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